

# LEGACY PUBLIC SCHOOL

# EBULLETIN

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## WELCOME BACK

We hope everyone had a fantastic Winter Break with time to relax, enjoy family time and scramble to find things to do in the frigid weather!! We are so thankful that the cold weather broke just in time for our first Ski Club date at Lakeridge!!

January is a busy month at Legacy. The new subdivision beside Boxgrove Plaza is starting to have families move in and we are welcoming them into our school. We look forward to having about 40 new students when all units are filled!!

Kindergarten registration will also open on January 19th. Please encourage families with children born in 2014 to register as soon as possible. This helps us in planning for



## SAVE THE DATE

### **FAMILY NIGHT - January 31st!!**

X Movement will back to work with our school from January 29th - February 1st. X Fusion explores *self-regulation* through a mix of stretching, high intensity fitness, and mindfulness. Students are guided to identify their feelings and emotions, choose their desired state, and use physical action to achieve it. By the end, they'll be equipped with the steps to self-regulate:

**Feel, Choose, Fuse.**

## P.A. DAYS AHEAD

We will have 2 Professional Activity days in the next month when staff will be engaged in learning related to our School Improvement Plan for Student Achievement and Wellbeing (SIPSA).

**There are no classes for students on:**

**January 19th or  
February 2nd.**

## KEY DATES

**January 17th : Pajama Day**  
Come right from bed to school!!

**January 19th: Kindergarten**  
Registration opens.

**January 19th: Professional Activity Day**  
No classes for students.

**January 31st: Family Night - X Fusion**  
Details to follow.

**Please check our Calendar at:**

<http://bit.ly/2DdPcaJ>

## TECH UPDATE

Overhead LCD projectors have been installed in all classrooms in the school!! We are very excited about this update so that we are able to use technology in classrooms without the safety hazards of hanging cords and moving carts!!

The technology that was purchased in partnership with our School Council through the YRDSB Cost Sharing program has started to arrive!! As part of the Board's Cost Sharing Program, we were able to purchase 30 new Chromebooks (10 of which were bought by the LSC, 5 by the school which were matched by the YRDSB for a total of 30!!). Our Tech Team is quickly getting all security and software put onto the devices so that they will be in the hands of our students as soon as possible!!

Stay tuned for more updates on some of the other pieces of technology that we will be adding to our inventory!!



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## FLU SEASON IS UPON US!!



**A few reminders for parents to support the safety, comfort and health of children when they are at school.**

- 1) Ensure that your child has a solid understanding of the time and effort needed to wash their hands properly (when you are there and when they are on their own!!). It is important that they understand what to do if there is no soap (ask for help) as it is their responsibility to keep their hands clean!!
- 2) Please pack an extra pair of socks and mitts in their backpack. Active play outside sometimes results in sweaty or wet items!!
- 3) If your child is sick please keep them home for a least 24 hours after their fever breaks. This will allow for greater participation in school activities and the less likelihood to spread disease.

## WHAT IS GOING ON OUTSIDE OF CLASS

Ski Club  
Stacking Club  
Study Hall  
PLAY Program  
Volleyball  
Me to We  
Earth Club  
Student Parliament

Basketball  
Band  
Floor Hockey is on the way!!!  
Equity Team  
Healthy School  
Tech Team  
Lead On Student Leader Training  
Staff Zumba



## **EQUITY AND INCLUSIVITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE ANTI-BLACK RACISM SUB-COMMITTEE**

### ***Community Consultations***

**You are invited to attend a community consultation regarding:**

**Actions Taken by YRDSB following Ministry Review to Support the Learning of Students of African Descent and their Families**

#### *Agenda*

- An overview of the Ministry of Education's Review of YRDSB
- YRDSB Current Work and Response to the Ministry's Review on all levels (board, school and community engagement)
- Community Feedback Sessions in small group carousel format - *What is going well? What are you worried about? What needs to happen next?*
  - Board
  - School
  - Community Engagement
- Report Back and Next Steps

#### **Dates, times and locations**

Thursday January 18, 2018

6:00pm – 9:30pm

Milliken Mills High School, 7522 Kennedy Rd, Markham, ON L3R 9S5

*(Refreshments will be provided)*

Saturday January 27, 2018

10:00am – 2:00pm

Vaughan Secondary School, 1401 Clark Ave W, Thornhill, ON L4J 7R4

*(Lunch will be provided)*

#### **Registration**

Please register [online](#) by Friday January 12, 2018.

If you have any questions, please contact Freyja Phillips [freyja.phillips@yrdsb.ca](mailto:freyja.phillips@yrdsb.ca).



## **EQUITY AND INCLUSIVITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE CLASSISM SUB-COMMITTEE**

### ***Community Conversations***

## **Are you an advocate for those marginalized by low income and class-based discrimination?**

We are seeking passionate youth, families and community members to provide feedback regarding equity and inclusion for students in York Region public schools.

Please attend one of the five community conversations hosted by York Region District School Board's Equity and Inclusivity Advisory Committee.

- January 15**     **Maple Leaf PS, 155 Longford Dr, Newmarket, ON L3Y 2Y7**
- January 22**     **Sutton District HS, 20798 Dalton Rd, Georgina, ON L0E 1R0**
- January 29**     **Bayview SS, 10077 Bayview Ave, Richmond Hill, ON L4C 2L4**
- February 5**     **Maple HS, 50 Springside Rd, Maple, ON L6A 2W5**
- February 12**    **Milliken Mills HS, 7522 Kennedy Rd, Markham, ON L3R 9S5**

*All Community Conversations run from 7:00 - 9:00 pm*

Child-minding will be provided at all locations. *If you require child minding, please email Kristine with the number of children and their ages.*

**For more information or transportation support needs, please contact:**

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